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NEWS RELEASE

11000 Montana Traffic Fatality

Date: 4/6/2016 Time: 3:58 PM

Location: 11000 Montana

1 Vehicle – 2004 Pontiac Grand AM, White in Color.

1 Driver – 57-year old Jesus Ponce, of the 11000 block of Sunshine, El Paso TX 79936 (Deceased)

2 Vehicle- 2004 GMC Yukon, White in color

2 Driver- 36- year old Juan C Acevedo, of the 15000 block of Yucca Trail, El Paso TX 79938

2 Passenger- 15-year old male, El Paso TX 79938

2 Passenger- 12-year old female, El Paso TX 79938

EL PASO, Texas: Officers with the Special Traffic Investigators unit (STI) responded to assist Pebble Hills Patrol with a serious traffic collision. The investigation revealed that a 2004 Pontiac Grand AM being operated by Jesus Ponce was traveling North on Oasis approaching Montana. At the same time a 2004 GMC Yukon being operated by Juan Acevedo was traveling East on Montana in the inside lane. The Pontiac attempted to cross the eastbound lanes of Montana into the path of the GMC causing the GMC to collide with the Pontiac. The driver of the Pontiac Grand AM was pronounced dead at the scene. There were no other injuries reported. There are no charges pending at this time. This is the 22th fatality of 2016 compared to 13 in 2015.

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